

NEWPORT COUNTY REGIONAL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM
Serving the Towns of Little Compton, Portsmouth, Middletown,
Tiverton

Board of Superintendents Meeting

Wednesday, September 11, 2013

8:30 a.m. – Regular Meeting

Held at Oliphant Administration

Superintendents Present: Mr. W. Rearick, Tiverton Public Schools

Mr. D. Croston, Portsmouth Public Schools

Mr. J. Schoonover, Portsmouth Public Schools

Mrs. K. Crowley, Little Compton Public Schools

Mrs. R. Kraeger, Middletown Public Schools

Also Present: Dr. R. Santa, Director, Newport County Regional, NCR

Ms. S. Kraeger, Asst. Director, Newport County Regional, NCR

Mrs. C. Andrade, Asst. Director, Newport County Regional, NCR

Mrs. C. Silvia, Admin. Assist., NCR

Mrs. G. Augustus, Business Mgr., NCR

The meeting was called to order at 8:33 by Mr. Rearick.

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of Minutes of the August 14, 2013 Minutes.

MOTION: 1) Mrs. K. Crowley, 2) Mr. D. Croston To approve the minutes of the August 14, 2013 meeting. Unanimous Vote.

II. CORRESPONDENCE

- **Letter from Parent – Jamie Carlone**
- **MOA Paul V. Sherlock Center on Disabilities**
- **Indicator 11 – Compliance with Timely Initial Evaluations**

Newport County's 2012-2013 Rate of Compliance for Indicator 11 was 100%

- **NCRSEP Support Staff Job Descriptions**
- **NCRSEP Organizational Chart**

III. OLD BUSINESS

- **Out of District Placements – Questions/Concerns**
- **Medicaid Reimbursement Update – Questions/Concerns**
- **Year-to-Date Summary – Questions/Concerns**
- **Disbursement Detail Listing – Questions/Concerns**

IV. NEW BUSINESS

Recommendations on Personnel

A. Resignations

1. Rian McCarthy – Teacher Assistant – Portsmouth High School , BSP

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents accepts the

above named personnel's letter of resignation. Unanimous Vote

2. Lindsay Phillips – Special Educator – Portsmouth Middle School

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents accepts the above named personnel's letter of resignation. Unanimous Vote

3. Christine Kraus – Special Educator – Ranger School

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents accepts the above named personnel's letter of resignation. Unanimous Vote

4. Daryl Rodewald – Special Educator – Tiverton High School

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents accepts the above named personnel's letter of resignation. Unanimous Vote

B. Recommendations - Certified Personnel

1. Karyn Hillen – Regional Speech Pathologist – Reassignment to Pre-K.

2. Melissa Rollings – Special Educator .4 – Portsmouth High School

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents approves the above named certified personnel as Special Educator .4 assigned to Portsmouth High School. Unanimous Vote.

3. Maureen Leahy – Special Educator .5 – Tiverton High School

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents approves the above named certified personnel as

Special Educator .5 assigned to Tiverton High School. Unanimous Vote.

4. Melissa Rawson – Regional Speech Pathologist .6 – Step Increase

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents approves the Director’s request to increase Ms. Rawson’s step from Step 8 Masters to Step 10 Masters. Unanimous Vote.

5. Abigail Sayer Vellucci – Regional Speech Pathologist

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger, 2) Mr. D. Croston That the Board of Superintendents approves the above named certified personnel as Regional Speech Pathologist. Unanimous Vote.

C. Recommendations – Non-Certified Personnel

1. Jill Napert – Teacher Assistant – Portsmouth High School

MOTION: 1) Mr. D. Croston, 2) Mrs. R. Kraeger That the Board of Superintendents approves the above named non-certified personnel as teacher assistant assigned to Portsmouth High School for the 2013-2014 school year. Unanimous Vote.

D. Discussion Items – Mrs. Santa presented the following items to the Board for discussion.

1. NCRSEP Human Capital Management System

2. Out of District Students returning to Districts – Questions/Concerns

3. 1.0 Special Educator moving from Local to Regional position.

4. Caseloads – Questions/Concerns

ADJOURN FROM MEETING

MOTION: 1) Mrs. R. Kraeger 2) Mr. W. Rearick. To adjourn from the Board of Superintendent's Meeting, at 10:06 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rachel Santa, Director _____ Coleen Silvia,

Clerk _____